

CITY OF SANTA BARBARA

SANTA BARBARA YOUTH COUNCIL

Monday, October 21, 2019 5:15 p.m.

Louise Lowry Davis Center 1232 De la Vina Street, Santa Barbara

MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER

Meeting was called to Order at 5:17 pm by Chair Quinn Stefan.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Led by Chair Quinn Stefan

ROLL CALL

Led by Vice Chair Julia Minor

Youth Council Members Present

Chau, Austin Chow, Alex Flanagin, Davis Goodman, Laila Minor, Julia Proulx-Kelly, River Sánchez Gómez, Veronica Stefan, Quinn

Junior High Representatives

Chow, Victoria Calzadilla, Dhaira Thakrar, Alok Weber, Madison

Staff Present

Isis Castañeda, Youth Council Advisor

Liaisons Present

Jacob Lesner-Buxton, Parks and Recreation Commissioner

Youth Council Members Absent

Broeffle, Sean Palmerin Piña, Marco

CHANGES TO THE AGENDA

None

PUBLIC COMMENT

None

COUNCIL AND STAFF COMMUNICATIONS

Isis Castañeda, Youth Council Advisor

- Last day for Youth Council applicants to be interviewed by the Mayor and City Council is October 22nd. The last day the Youth Council will hold their interviews is November 4th.
- Neighborhood Advisory Council update by Youth Council was cancelled. The Youth Council held a special meeting for a marketing training.
- The SBUSD board meeting will be tomorrow. Julia Minor will be attending.
- Councilmember Gutierrez needed to leave prior to the Youth Council meeting, he would like you all to know that the Anti-Vaping PSA draft will be sent at the end of this coming week. He will not be able to meet with the subcommittee till after the elections on November 5th, this included cancelling the 26th PSA meeting.
- A Youth Council member needs to give an update to NAC on November 12th and to the Parks and Rec Commission on 20th.

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Jacob Lesner-Buxton, Parks and Recreation Commissioner

NEW BUSINESS

1. Subject: Approval of the Minutes – For Action (Attachment)

Recommendation: That the Youth Council waive the reading and approve the minutes of the meeting on October 7, 2019.

It was moved and seconded by Youth Council members Proulx-Kelly and Flanagin respectively, to approve the minutes for the meeting on October 7, 2019. All in favor. Motion carried.

Recommendation: That the Youth Council waive the reading and approve the minutes of the meeting on October 14, 2019.

It was moved and seconded by Youth Council members Minor and Proulx-Kelly respectively to approve the minutes for the meeting on October 14, 2019. Members Chau, Chow, Flanagin, Goodman, Proulx-Kelly, Minor and Stefan in favor. Member Sánchez Gómez abstained. Motion carried.

2. Subject: Youth Speak-Out on Vaping Epidemic – For Discussion and Action

Recommendation: That the Youth Council host a Speak-Out on the Vaping Epidemic with guests from the California Youth Advocacy Network in December of 2019.

It was moved and seconded by Youth Council members Minor and Flanagin respectively to host a Speak-Out on the Vaping Epidemic with guests from the California Youth Advocacy Network in December of 2019.

3. Subject: What is LOVE Healthy Relationship Training – For Discussion and Action

Recommendation: That the Youth Council participate in healthy relationship activities led by Christy Stillwell, Founder of What is Love on November 18 2019.

It was moved and seconded by Youth Council members Sánchez Gómez and Minor respectively for the Youth Council to participate in healthy relationship activities led by Christy Stillwell, Founder of What is Love on November 18, 2019.

4. Subject: National League of Cities 2019 – For Discussion and Action

Recommendation: That the Youth Council send Laila Goodman and Vice Chair Julia Minor as representatives to attend the Youth Delegation at the National League of Cities in San Antonio Texas from November 20-23, 2019.

It was moved and seconded by Youth Council members Proulx-Kelly and Sánchez Gómez that the Youth Council send Laila Goodman and Vice Chair Julia Minor as representatives to attend the Youth Delegation at the National League of Cities in San Antonio Texas from November 20-23, 2019.

5. Subject: Subcommittee Breakout Groups – Discussion and Action

Recommendation: That the Youth Council members breakout into subcommittees to discuss and plan Youth Led Candidates Forum, Fundraising, Anti-Vaping PSA, and Marketing and, if necessary, take action to recommend an item for consideration at a future YC meeting. The public is invited to participate.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 7:01 pm.

Next regular meeting: City Council Chambers, City Hall

735 Anacapa Street, Santa Barbara *Monday November 4, 2019 5:15pm*